

Not only does the FCC need to allow a period of public comment, the public needs to know about the pending rule change. I'm appalled that despite regular reading of my local newspaper and Time Magazine and listening to public radio, I've learned about this issue only during the past week. How many other citizens are, through no fault of their own, unaware? We deserve better. All FCC commissioners, not just the ones who are traveling the country to tell us what the media have not, need to hear from concerned citizens throughout this nation. How can the citizens speak if they have heard nothing about the issue?

America does not need to engage in this kind of risky behavior: if the rules are relaxed on June 2, the damage won't, can't, be undone.

Please give the American people a chance: given the information, citizens will speak.